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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended) A diffuse lighting arrangement comprising a main power cord having a plug at one end thereof and incorporating a plurality of identical minimally spaced apart miniature lights extending from the power cord, each of the light strings being electrically connected to the power supply cord in parallel.

Claim 2 (Original) The arrangement of claim 1 wherein the strings of lights are substantially identical in length.

Claim 3 (Original) The arrangement of claim 1 wherein the lights on each string are electrically connected in series.

Claim 4 (Canceled)

Claim 5 (Original) The arrangement of claim 1 wherein the power supply cord includes a circuit protection device.

Claim 6 (Original) The arrangement of claim 1 further including an anchor strap which are engageable to each other about a structure.

Claim 7 (Original) The arrangement of claim 6 wherein the strap has two ends which are engageable to each other about a structure.

Claim 8 (Original) The arrangement of claim 6 wherein the strap has two elongate edges with a plurality of spaced apart restraints depending from one of the elongate edges.

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Claim 9 (Original) The arrangement of claim 8 wherein a free end of each restraint incorporates structure thereon which engages a corresponding one of an equal plurality of cooperating engagement structures which are spaced apart along the anchor strap.

Claim 10 (Original) For use on a structure including a radial array of a plurality of support ribs extending from the center support thereof, a diffuse lighting arrangement comprising a power supply cord terminating in a plug and having a plurality of identical, minimally spaced apart strings of lights miniature extending therefrom, equal to the plurality of supporting ribs, and an anchor strap engageable at the center of the structure and incorporating a plurality of anchoring structures which engage the cord to the center support in areas between the spaced apart strings of miniature lights.